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The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D.C. 20505

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The President  
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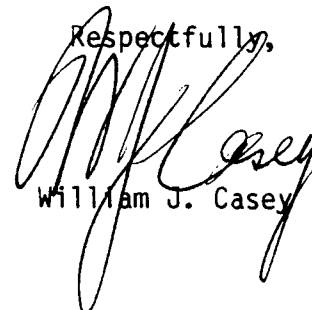
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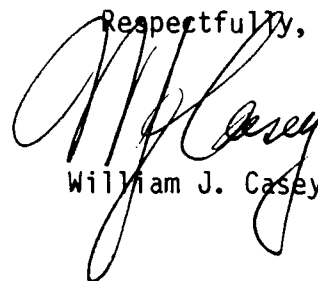
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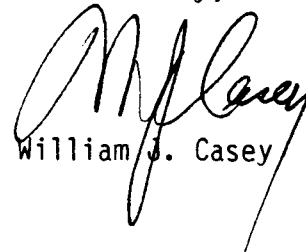
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The Honorable Edward P. Boland, Chairman  
Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence  
US House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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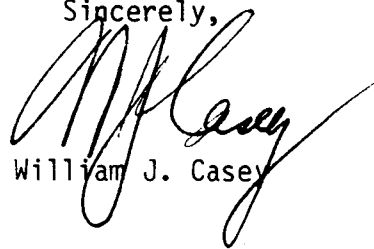
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The Honorable Barry M. Goldwater, Chairman  
Senate Select Committee on Intelligence  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C. 20510

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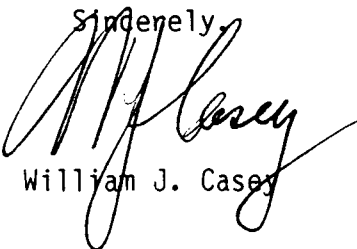
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The Honorable Jamie L. Whitten, Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
US House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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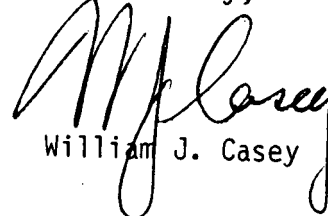
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The Honorable Mark O. Hatfield, Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C. 20510

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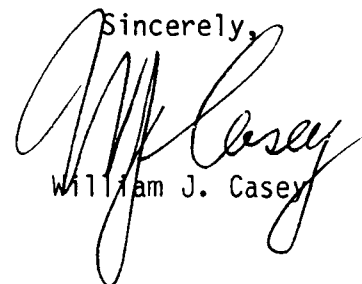
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The Honorable Joseph P. Addabbo, Chairman  
Subcommittee on Defense  
Committee on Appropriations  
US House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20510

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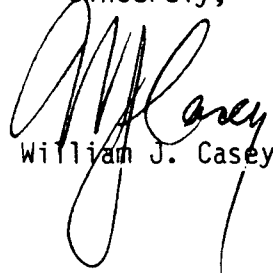
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The Honorable Ted Stevens, Chairman  
Subcommittee on Defense  
Committee on Appropriations  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C. 20510

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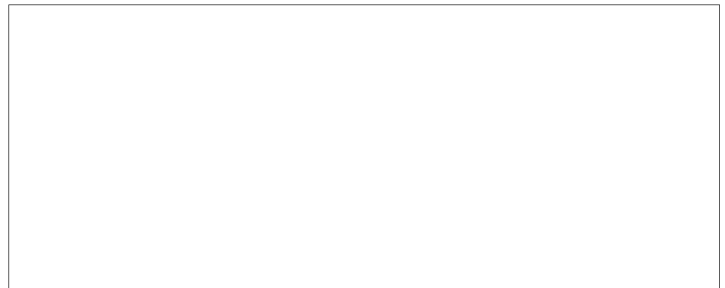
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Intelligence Community Staff  
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Distribution

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